

# **The New Underground Press** An Introduction to the Less Well Known Magazines on the Left

Many people may not be fully aware of the range and richness of the contemporary left's periodical literature. Magazine racks are disappearing even from university bookstores and radical publications are disappearing from those racks still existing. As an example, Out Of Town News, at Harvard Square, used to carry a reasonably good selection of radical journals, magazines and newspapers. Now they have only a few. Virtually no radical publications even make it into standard magazine outlets, say in Store 24, Barnes and Noble, or street corner stands. We hope this brief survey will help inform. It has been hastily compiled (our apologies for any oversights) and based mainly on material available at Red Book (so come on out to J.P!). Most of these magazines are published by collectives, often on a shoestring.

*Arsenal: Surrealist Subversion*. Black Swan Press, 1726 West Jarvis Ave, Chicago, Il. 60626.

Four issues in 18 years, but well worth the wait. Journal of the Chicago Surrealist group. The most brilliant invective in American literature. Angry. Uncompromising. Provocative. Mindblowing perspectives on just about everything. Total revolt. A must read for anyone who seriously hates capitalism.

### *Processed World*, 41 Sutter St. #1829, San Francisco, Ca. 94104.

This is a hot little magazine. Started in early 80's. 23 issues so far. Absolutely fabulous graphics. A scream. Wild. Burns the screen of computer myths, automated office work, "clean" technology. Some fiction. Focus on work, and getting free from it. Implicit workers control perspective. You'll enjoy this one.

Red Balloon 2652 Cropsey Ave #7H, Brooklyn, NY 11214. Current issue, Spring, 1988 #13, \$3.50

Hatched in 1969 at SUNY Stony Brook. Still going. Issue #13 is a blockbuster. Large. Thoroughly nonsectarian. Thoroughly intelligent. Wide range of topics. Great graphics. The spirit of the sixties lives. This collective is with it. Very in touch. Aware.

## *Midnight Notes,* box 204, Jamaica Plain, Ma, 02130 \$7 for 2 issues.

Iconoclastic. Totally subversive. The "Great Refusal: into the eighties. Highly informed. Issues on computers, the anti-nuclear movement, the work/energy crisis, prisons/law/

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police. Some of the hottest political writing of the eighties. Nine issues since 1980.

Ideas and Action. P.O. Box 40400, San Francisco, CA, 94140, \$6 for 4 issues. Published by Workers Solidarity Alliance, which is the U.S. section of the International Workers Association (the "anarcho-syndicalist" international founded in Berlin in 1922). Excellent articles. Lots of international tieins. Focus is on direct action, self-management, rank-and-file activism. 10 or 11 issues since early 80's

*Changing Work. A magazine about liberating worklife.* \$14 for 4 issues. Heller School, Brandeis University, P.O. Box 9110, Waltham, Ma. 02254-9110. Started in 1984

Nine issues so far. Covers the actual movement for democracy and co-operation at the workplace. Most articles written by those involved. Currently publishing a set of 10-year retrospectives on worker-controlled enterprises.

### Madness Network News P.O. Box 684, San Francisco, Ca. 94101

Hard hitting anti-psychiatry, anti-electric shock, anti-lobotomy magazine. Lots of writing by ex-patients. Covers the mental patients liberation movement. Shocking, Subversive (this publication may be defunct)

### **Connexions:** An International Women's Quarterly Published by People's Translation Service, 4228 Telegraph Ave, Oakland, Ca 94609. \$15/year.

Each issue focuses on a specific theme. A collective product of feminists of diverse nationalities and political perspectives. Many translations. Nicely done.

### *Rethinking Schools* P.O. Box 93371, Milwaukee, Wi 53202 (414) 265-56217

3 years old. Published by "rank-and-file" classroom teachers and educators in Milwaukee. Seeks to break the domination of administrators and educational consultants over discussion of educational issues. Newspaper format. Stimulating.

### *Environmental Action,* 1525 New Hampshire Ave, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036 (202) 745-4870 \$20/year (6 issues)

One of the best all around sources of information about the environmental movement. Very nicely designed and produced magazine. Founded by the organizers of the first Earth Day.

### *Labor Notes*. 7435 Michigan Ave, Detroit, Mi. 48210 (313) 842-6262 Monthly, \$10/year

"Let's Put the <u>Movement</u> Back in the Labor Movement". Excellent 16 page newsletter on attempts to rejuvenate the labor movement from the bottom up. An efficient way to keep informed. Against "business unionism". National coverage. The group has also published several books. Resource lists.

*On Gogol Boulevard*. Networking Bulletin for Activists East and West. 151 First Ave #62, New York, NY 10003 (718) 499-7720 \$5 for 4 issues.

Two years old. A project on "Neither East nor West". News from Russia and Eastern Europe. Anti-authoritarian focus (Libertarian Anarchist). Very hard to come by information like this.

*Akwesasne Notes* Mohawk Nation, P.O. Box 196, Rooseveltown, N.Y.

13683-0196. 6 issues/year

The official publication of the Mohawk Nation. Newspaper format. 32 pages. Lots of news coverage and interpretive essays on the American Indian Movement. 21 years of publishing.

*Nicaraguan Perspectives* Nicaragua Information Center, PO Box 2929, Berkeley, Ca. 94618-0129. \$12/year. 2-3 issues.

Full coverage of the Nicaraguan revolution and U.S. support groups and activities.

### *News and Letters,* 59 East Van Buren, *Room 707, Chicago, Il. 60605. \$2.50/year -10 issues*

Newspaper of the "Marxist-Humanist" tendency developed by the late Raya Dunayevskaya and comrades. One of the oldest nonvanguard party radical publications in the U.S. Lots of rank-and-file reportage. Lots of international labor and movement news. Well worth a subscription.

### New Politics. PO Box 98, Brooklyn, N.Y. 11231. \$20 for 4 issues

A revival of the original *New Politics* (1961-1978). Pursues a "Third Camp" perspective, seeking to steer a course between the bankruptcy of Capitalism and Communism. Commitment to democracy. international Focus. Very solid journal on cutting edge of contemporary politics. Plenty of historical material.

### *Fifth Estate,* Box 02548, Detroit, Mi. 48202. \$5/year (quarterly)

An old-timer. A true survivor from the sixties. More than twenty years of continuous publication. Anti-authoritarian. Questions technology. Focuses on ecology, democracy,. Two issues back, launched a critique of and debate about "Deep Ecology".

### *Covert Action Information Bulletin*. PO Box 50272, Washington, DC 20004

Thoroughly researched articles on the government's "dirty tricks". Reportage on government spies, soldiers of fortune, the CIA's machinations abroad and at home, domestic surveillance, biological warfare. Had a special issue on the AIDS crisis. Very frightening material.



### *The Midwife Advocate* Quarterly. PO Box 237, Newtonville, Ma 02160 522-7734. Basic membership: \$20

Twelve page newsletter of the Massachusetts Friends of Midwives, a group fighting for birthing rights, against unnecessary medical intervention, and for expansion of midwifery

## *Worker's Democracy* PO Box 24115, St. Louis, Mo. 63130. \$6 for 4 issues.

One of the few magazines in the United States focusing on workers councils and workplace democracy from an independent Socialist point of view

### *New Directions for Women,* 108 West Palisade Ave, Englewood, NJ. 07631. \$10/year, 6 issues, 28 p

Founded in 1972. Newspaper format. Provides extensive coverage of the women's movement. Book reviews, international news

### *Propaganda Review* Media Alliance, Bldg. D, Fort Mason, San Francisco, Ca 94123. \$20 for 4 issues

New journal (4 issues so far) dealing with Newspeak. "Exposes, analyzes and confronts the image makers, the perception managers and the captains of consciousness."

### *Multinational Monitor*. PO Box 19405, Washington DC. 20036. \$22/year. Monthly

Two-year old effort to monitor the machinations of multinational monster corporations. A useful endeavor considering that national boundaries are relatively meaningless now for understanding the world economy.

*Labor Research Review,* Midwest Center for Labor Research, 3411 West Diversey Ave., Chicago, II. 60647. (312) 278-5418



Founded in 1982. A forum for labor and community activists. One of the group helping to revitalize the U.S. labor movement.

### Libertarian Labor Review: A Journal of Anarcho-Syndicalist Ideas and Discussion. PO Box 2824, Station A, Champaign, Il. 61820. \$5/year

One of only four magazines in the US following a more or less syndicalist approach (the others being *Ideas & Action, Workers Democracy* and *Industrial Worker* (IWW). Takes a strict line against working through existing "business unions".

Against the Current, 7012 Michigan Ave, Detroit, Mi 48210 (313) 841-0160. \$15/year (6 issues)

A general all purpose socialist magazine. Non-sectarian. Independent.

#### Across Frontiers. PO Box 2382, Berkeley, Ca. 94702. \$10/year (4 issues)

"A quarterly devoted to texts and analyses from Eastern Europe's democratic and socialist opposition."

*Social Text: Theory, Culture, Ideology.* PO Box 1474, Old Chelsea Sta., NYC, NY, 10011. \$20 for 4 issues

This journal is hard to characterize. It's creative and critical, but also somewhat academic. Helping to forge a Third Road tendency. Some literary criticism, but also articles on the whole range of left topics.

Free Association: Psychoanalysis, Groups, Politics, Culture. Free Association Books, 26 Freegrove Road, London N79RQ. \$30/year (quarterly) One of the few journals devoted to in-depth theoretical studies of issues related to psychoanalysis and psychotherapy. Grew out of the radical science collective – London. Started 1984 The Insurgent Sociologist. C/O Department of Sociology, University of Oregon, Eugene, Or 97403. \$8/year Another survivor. Started at Columbia University in late sixties. Subsequently moved with its editor to West Coast. A scholarly journal from an orthodox Marxist position. *Praxis International* Published by Basil Blackwell, 108 Cowley Rd. Oxford OX4IJF, England.

Patterned after its predecessor, *Praxis*, from Yugoslavia, and involving many of the same people, this solid left journal provides nonsectarian analyses of wide ranges of topics facing the movement.

Radical Science. Free Association Books, 26 Freegrove Rd., London N79RQ. \$25/year for 3 issues

"Provides a forum for extended analyses of the ideology and practice of science, technology, and medicine from a radical political perspective".

*Radical Philosophy*. c/o Howard Feather, Department of Community Studies, Thurrock Technical College, Woodview, Grays, Essex RM164YR, England. \$20 (3 issues)

Another solid English publication. Covers wide range of contemporary philosophical issues as they relate to radical politics.

### The List Goes On

Democratic Left (newsletter of the Democratic Socialists of America); Venceremos (official publication of the National Liberation Front of El Salvador); Shmate (a journal of progressive Jewish thought); Green Letter (Berkeley, Ca); Solidarity Newsletter (Detroit); Freedom (an anarchist magazine from Freedom Press, London); Strike (newspaper devoted to direct action, St. Catharines, Ontario); Workers Solidarity (an Irish anarchist magazine); Here and Now (libertarian left, Glasgow); Overthrow (subversive newspaper, New York); Social Anarchism (a journal of Practice and Theory, Baltimore); World Socialist (the Boston chapter has a 75 year presence in the city); Black Rose Magazine (occasional publication of Boston's Black Rose collective); The New International (refurbished journal of the Socialist Worker Party and the Trotskyist tendency, New York); Open Road (anti-authoritarian newspaper from Vancouver); Catalyst (a socialist journal of the social services); The Animals Agenda (international magazine of animal rights and Ecology); World War 3; Peace & Democracy News (Bulletin of the Campaign for Peace and Democracy/ East and West); The Raven (new anarchist journal from Freedom Press in London); Mediactive (covering alternative media); Kick it Over (anti-authoritarian newspaper from Toronto); Reality Now (major libertarian magazine from Toronto); Breakthrough (political journal of Prairie Fire Organizing Committee); Canadian Dimension; Gadfly

### Better Known Radical Publications not Annotated Here

Radical America, New Left Review, Monthly Review, Telos, Gay Community News, Sojourner, Zeta Magazine, Dollars and Sense, Middle East Report, Science and Society, Socialist Review, Mother Jones, The Nation, NACLA: Report on the Americas, The Guardian, Utne Reader, The Progressive, Off Our Backs, Health/PAC Bulletin, Dissent, In These Times, Politics and Society, New German Critique, Review of Radical Political Economy, Radical History Review, Our Generation, Cineaste

### **Boston Area Publishing Projects**

For those of you who may want to get involved with one of the many publishing projects in the Boston area, we list here the names and addresses (and phones when known) of several magazines and newspapers. The list was hastily compiled and so is undoubtedly incomplete (and does not include most of the numerous newsletters).

Dollars and Sense. One Summer St, Somerville, Ma. 02143-9990. 628-6585

Gay Community News, 62 Berkely St, Boston, Ma 02116 426-4469

Zeta Magazine, 150 West Canton St, Boston, Ma 02118 236-5878

*Sojourner*, 380 Green St, Cambridge, Ma 02139. 661-3567

Science for the People, 897 Main St, Cambridge, Ma 02139 547-0370

Radical Teacher, P.O. Box 102, Kendall Sq, Post Office, Cambridge 02142

The Labor Page, 335 Lamartine St, Jamaica Plain, 02130

Religious Socialism, 45 Thornton St, Roxbury, 02119

Survival News, 102 Anawan Ave, West Roxbury, 02132 327-4219

Underground Surrealist Magazine, PO Box 2565, Cambridge 02238

Midnight Notes, Box 204, Jamaica Plain, Ma 02130

City Life, 335 Lamartine St, Jamaica Plain, 02130

Midwife Advocate, PO Box 237, Newtonville, 02160 522-7734

*Changing Work*, Heller School, Brandeis University, PO Box 9110, Waltham, 02111

Disapproved Theories, PO Box 1886, Cambridge, Ma 02238

Street, PO Box 441019, Somerville, 02144

<u>Most</u> of these publications are <u>usually</u> available at Red Book, 92 Green Street, Jamaica Plain, MA. Tues – Fri 12:00 – 7:00 pm, Sat, Sun 12:00 pm – 5:00 pm Noon Rally at the State House the day after the Supreme Court decides the Webster case.

Thurs 1 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm Protest the Inauguration of Alfredo Cristiani, El Salvador's Death Squad President. Meet at the Park Street T for leafleting and street theatre. Info: CASA @ 492-8699

8:00 pm But Who Really Does Own Zora? A talk with Barbara Christian. Sponsored by Northeastern University's Colloquium on Feminist Theory. Ell Building, Frost Lounge, Northeastern University. Info: 437-4984

8:00 pm Africa Oy e Colonial Theatre, 106 Boylston St. Tickets: \$35, 30, 25, and 15.

8:00 pm Bad Water, produced by TheaterWorks and directed by Vincent Murphy is a vivid account by Kirsten Giroux of a year-long roundthe-world trip. Based on letters, postcards and journals, this intimate one-woman show ranges from the banks of the Ganges, to a real Turkish bath, a restaurant in China that becomes a disco, and beyond. But Bad Water is more than an unusual travelogue: it also reveals our sometimes fragile relationship to the natural world we live in. Water itself-good water, plentiful water, scarce water and sometimes very bad water-is the recurring theme of Giroux' performance. It's a theme that we all need to contemplate, as we in Boston face our own water crisis. Her Dream Kitchen, Part One, presented by "Dream House With Legs", is written by Deborah Fortson with choreography by Susan Dibble and a sound environment by Donald Dinicola. It's a surrealist play about a woman and her kitchen at midnight. Peculiar dances, voices which float into her window, relatives who appear uninvited, and bizarre deliveries are the "stuff that dreams are made of" in this kitchen. Tix for Thurs double bill are "pay what you can". At the Performance Place, 277 Broadway, Somerville. Info & reservations: Performance Place @ 623-5510.

10:00 am Rally and March to sites of service provid-Fri 2 ers that will be hurt by budget cuts. Wrap up rally at Matthews Arena, Northeastern University at noon; site of the democratic state convention. Wear yellow please. Entertainment and food will be provided. Meet at Copley Square. Sponsored by the Tax Equity Alliance of Boston: 426-1228 or 1-800-832-6946

8:00 pm Africa Oyé Colonial Theatre, 106 Boylston St. Tickets: \$35, 30, 25, and 15.

8:00 pm El Salvador, 1989. Jim Harney, Boston based photo-journalist, has just returned from three months in El Salvador. He will give a slide presentation and talk on his trip which included time spent covering the war in the countryside and the elections in San Salvador. Admission: \$5. At the Church of the Covenant, 67 Newbury St, Boston. Info: 522-2544

8:00 pm Bad Water & Her Dream Kitchen, Part One. See June 1 listing. Tix: \$10. Info & reservations: 623-5510

8:30 pm Swing into Spring dance to benefit the Jamaica Plain Arts Council and the AIDS Action Committee. Music by Cheek to Cheek. Swing lessons at 8:30 pm. Admission: \$10. At the J.P. Firehouse Multicultural Arts Center, 659 Centre St, Jamaica Plain. Info: 524-3816

2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Jamaica Plain World's Fair. Firehouse Sat 3 Multicultural Arts Center, 659 Centre St, Jamaica Plain. Info: 524-3816

11:00 am - 1:00 pm Open discussion on Coming Out for women of all ages. At the Women's Center, 46 Pleasant St, Cambridge. Info: 354-8807

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm The Dimensions of AIDS Treatment a presentation sponsored by ACT UP/Boston (AIDS Coalition to Unleash Power) covering therapeutic availability, clinical trials, and HIV anti-body testing issues. At Room 314, Sherman Student Union, Boston University, 775 Commonwealth Ave. Info: 492-2887

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8:00 pm - 1:00 am Concert and Dance Party in Honor of José Massó and Mission Hill Community Activists, Aida Graves, Maria Sánchez



Mon 5 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Tax Resistance Clinic sponsored by the New England War Tax Resistance. At the Community Church, 565 Boylston ST, 3rd floor, Boston. Info: 731-6139

7:00 pm Coalition for Lesbian & Gay Civil Rights holds volunteer signup night, 142 Memorial Drive (MIT Walker Memorial) Room 306, Cambridge. Join our cause for justice. Info: Rich: 776-6956

8:00 pm - 10:00 pm Lesbian Rap: Lesbian Pride/Lesbian Herstories. At the Women's Center, 46 Pleasant St, Cambridge. Info: 354-8807

**Tues 6** 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Nutrition and HIV. Nutrition and diet play an important role in maintaining good health for people with an HIV infection. Lisa Stollman, Registered Dietician and FCHC's new nutritionist will present some basic guidelines on good nutrition, staying healthy and boosting the immune system through diet. Living Well Series: Fenway Community Health Center, 93 Mass Ave. Info and registration: 267-0900

7:00 pm 30 + Lesbian Rap: Partnering 7:30 pm - 10:00 pm Bisexual Women's Rap: The Workplace At the Women's Center, 46 Pleasant St, Cambridge. Info: 354-8807

7:30 ACT UP Boston Meets to confront the AIDS crisis every Tuesday. Room 345, Building 3, Roxbury Community College 1234 Columbus Ave, Boston. Info, directions: 49-ACT-UP.

Wed 7 to June 10, 10:00 am - 8:00 pm CASA Spanish **Class Summer Term Registration** at CASA, 1151 Mass. Ave, Cambridge, 492-8699

5:30 pm International Law and Nuclear Weapons, a talk with Pamela Thomure, attorney and author of "Inherent Inequality: Construction of Nuclear Weapons". At Wentworth Institute of Technology (Ruggles/Museum stop on the Green Line). Info: 354-5811

7:00 pm Everywoman's Discussion Group: Feminism & Men At the Women's Center, 46 Pleasant St, Cambridge. Info: 354-8807

7:00 pm NOW Open House. Learn what NOW is doing, locally and nationally, to fight for women's rights. Help organize on important issues such as reproductive rights, economic equity, lesbian rights, and the ERA. At National Organization for Women, 971 Commonwealth Ave, Boston. Info: 782-1056

7:00 pm Boston Committee Determined to Free Sharon Kowalski will be holding meetings every Wednesday at the Boston Self Help Center, 18 Williston Rd., Brookline. Info: 661-0533

**Sat 10** Women's Convoy to Central America departs today., Contributions of material aid (school supplies, cameras with batteries and film, typewriter equipment, sewing equipment and machines, and plastic sandals) as well as money and volunteers are still needed. Info: 451-2424

Forging the Links at Home and in Central America: strategy conference of the New England Central America Network. At Hampshire College, Amherst, Ma. Info: 491-4205

9:00 am - 11:00 am Boston Bisexual Women's Network Pre-Pride Brunch. Community Church of Boston, 565 Boylston St, 2nd floor, Copley Sq. Suggested donation: \$5. Info: 247-6683

11:30 am Gay Pride Day Rally. At Government Center. Info: 267-2113

4:00 pm - 8:00 pm Annual Membership Meeting of the Boston Rainbow Coalition. New and old members are encouraged to come and set the organizational agenda for the coming year. In the cafeteria of the Roxbury Community College, 1234 Columbus Ave, Boston. Info: 424-1041

8:00 pm Mothers and Others, a caberet about abortion rights, choice, and motherhood performed by Debra Wise of the Underground Railway Theatre. The material draws from such diverse sources as Anne Sexton, Billy Holiday, Kate Millet, and Adrienne Rich. in 1988, the cabaret was featured at the National Women in Theatre Festival in Boston. Admission: \$10, \$8 for members of the Newton Arts Center. At the Newton Arts Center, 61 Washington Park, Newtonville. Info: 964-3424

8:00 pm Bad Water & Her Dream Kitchen, Part One. See June 1 listing. Tix: \$10. Info & reservations: 623-5510

11:00 am The Time's Discipline: Elizabeth **Sun 11** McAlister. Long a peacemaking activist and member of the Jonah House Community, "an irreformable peacemaking tribe, within or outside the law as circumstance requires," a community founded upon the principle that "serious peacemaking is seriously illegal". Co-author, with husband, Phillip Berrigan of The Time's Discipline: The Beatitudes and Nuclear Resistance. At the Community Church, 565 Boylston St, Boston.

7:00 pm Metropolitan Community Church of Boston Pride Service of Celebration. Ecumenical, inclusive, welcoming. Rev. Steve Carson, preaching. 131 Cambridge St, Boston. Info: 523-7664

Mon 12 9:30 pm Lobby Day for Gay Rights at the

ist Education, 550 Mass Ave, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Cambridge. Info: 868-5620 4:00 pm Community Wide AIDS Healing and Memorial Service co sponsored by Am Tikva, Boston's Community of Lesbian and Gay Jews, at Temple Beth David, 256 Randolph St, Canton. Info: 782-8894 7:30 pm Stan Strickland and His Band, A benefit for the Brookline Sister City Health Center Project in Quezalqualque, Nicaragua. Refreshments, Admission: \$10, children under 12 free. At the Church of the Covenant, corner of Berkeley St & Newbury St, Boston. Info: 647-5498

8:00 pm - 1:00 am Benefit for Outrageous Women: Auction, Dance, DJ: Fire, Refreshments (non-alcoholic), prize for most outrageous costume. At OCBC, 1151 Mass Ave, Cambridge

Mon 19 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Legal Issues and HIV. Being informed about the most up-to-date legal issues concerning HIV helps us cope better and plan for the future. Denise McWilliams of GLAD and Robert Greenwald of the AAC are both experts in legal issues surrounding HIV infection, including health insurance problems, discrimination in housing and employment, etc. Living Well Series: Fenway Community Health Center, 93 Mass Ave. Info and registration: 267-0900 7:30 pm Boston Bisexual Women's Network Volunteer Night. Join us to meet new people, talk, work on BBWN projects and business. All women welcome. info: 247-6683

Sat 17 10:00 am - 4:00 pm Simplex Committee's Neighborhood June Jamboree: Gigantic yard sale (sponsored jointly with the Cambridgeport Central America Committee for the "Oats for Nicaragua" project); food and drink; music and games; raffle drawings; and voter registration. Proceeds will go to the "Oats for Nicaragua" campaign and for the Blanche Street defense fund to pay for legal expenses incurred in Simplex's efforts to save the Blanche Street houses from demolition by MIT. At Dana Park, Cambridge. Info: 868-2058

6:00 pm Bowditch Victory Celebration. Come celebrate the community victory resulting in housing for the homeless in the Bowditch School. There will be a potluck dinner at 6:00 pm just as there was every night at the Bowditch Tent City-so bring a dish if you can. 8:00 pm Recognition and rememberences of an 8 year struggle, 9:00 Party. \$5 donation. At the Firehouse Multicultural Arts Center, 659 Centre St, Jamaica Plain. Info: 524-3541

7:00 pm CelebrAsian, 1989: Alliance of Massachusetts Asian Lesbian and Gay Men sponsor an evening of culture and politics. "Coming together and celebrating our heritage". Followed by a dance with DJ. \$56 in advance, \$7-\$10 at the door. At Boston City Hall Lobby at Government Center, Info: 499-9535

8:00 pm Boston Gay Men's Chorus in concert at Jordan Hall, Boston. Tix: \$18, \$14, \$9. Info: 482-2527

Sun 18 3:00 pm Book Party with economist Victor Per-lo, author of Super Profits and Crises: Modern U.S. Capitalism. Admission: \$3 or pay what you can. At the Center for Marx-

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Wed 21 7:00 pm NOW Lesbian Rights Task Force Meeting. Help pass federal and state legislation to prohibit discrimination on the basis of sexual preference. Support lesbian and gay rights in foster parenting, housing, and employment. At National Organization for Women, 971 Commonwealth Ave, Boston. Info: 782-1056

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8:30 pm Karate Demonstration and Benefit Dance for the Sanchin Women's School of Karate and Self-Defense. Raffle Tickets available at door or in advance for Sanchin students. Prizes include contributions from: Brattle Theater, Cambridge Food Co-op, Club Cafe, Five Seasons, Gay Community News, New Words Bookstore, Radical America, Women's Center, 46 Pleasant St, Cambridge. Info: 354-8807

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**Fri 23** 8:00 pm Preview performance of Underground Railway Theater's new play, Home is Where?, a play about homes and homelessness. Discussion will follow each performance. Tix: \$10 in advance, \$12 at door. At Harrington School, 850 Cambridge St, Cambridge. Info: 497-6136

Saf 24 9:00 am - 4:00 pm Yard Sale to Benefit CASA. At

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